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October 15, 2003

Mr. Benard Rieder
Earthmovers, Inc.
P.O. Box 966
Elkhart, Indiana 46515

Re: 039-18091-00461
Permit Review Request

Dear Mr. Rieder:

Earthmovers, Inc. was issued a Part 70 operating permit (T039-9402-00461) on July 30, 1999 for a municipal solid waste landfill, located at 26488 CR 26, Elkhart, Indiana 46517. On September 3, 2003, the Office of Air Quality (OAQ) received a letter from Earthmovers, Inc. requesting clarification on whether the Permittee is still required to submit the quarterly report form as required in CP 039-8694-00461, issued on November 21, 1997.

In CP 039-8694-00461, issued on November 21, 1997, the Permittee was required to submit, on a quarterly basis, operating information for a 2,500 scfm flare, including temperature, fan amperage, and duct velocity, to ensure 90% destruction efficiency of the VOC captured. CP 039-8694-00461 was subsequently superseded by the source's Part 70 permit (T039-9402-00461, issued on July 30, 1999). Since the source's Part 70 permit does not require the source to report operating parameters for the 2,500 scfm flare, the Permittee does not need to submit the quarterly report form for the 2,500 scfm flare as previously required in CP 039-8694-00461. Note that the Permittee shall still monitor the temperature and record the flow rate of the flare, pursuant to 40 CFR 60.756(c) and Condition D.1.8(3) in T039-9402-00461, issued on July 30, 1999.

Pursuant to Contract No. A305-0-00-36, IDEM, OAQ has assigned the processing of this review request to Eastern Research Group, Inc., (ERG). Therefore, questions should be directed to Yu-Lien Chu, ERG, 1600 Perimeter Park Drive, Morrisville, North Carolina 27560, or call (919) 468-7871 to speak directly to Ms. Chu. Questions may also be directed to Duane Van Laningham at IDEM, OAQ, 100 North Senate Avenue, P.O. Box 6015, Indianapolis, Indiana, 46206-6015, or call (800) 451-6027, and ask for Duane Van Laningham, or extension 3-6878, or dial (317) 233-6878.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by Paul Dubenetzky
Paul Dubenetzky, Chief
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Office of Air Quality

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